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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Dirk Manger
Appl. No. : 10/612,628
Filed : July 2, 2003
Title : Method for Locally Heating a Region in a Semiconductor Substrate
Art Unit :

LETTER

Hon. Commissioner for Patents,
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The above-mentioned new patent application was filed on July 2, 2003 without a signed oath or declaration, under the provision of 37 C.F.R. 1.53(f).

In accordance with the above-mentioned rule, enclosed herewith is the original signed declaration.

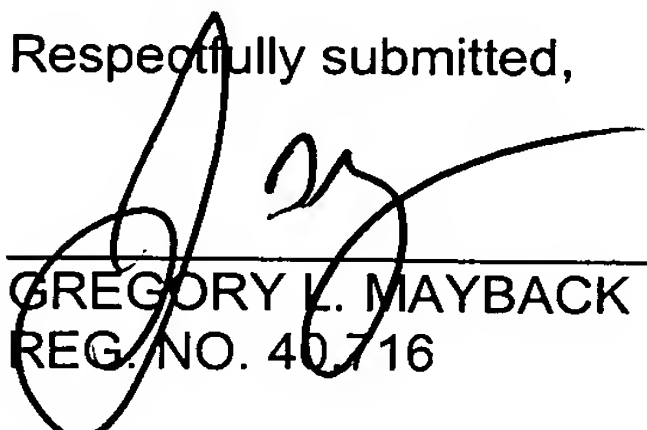
The undersigned hereby states that the application filed in the Patent and Trademark Office is the application which the inventor(s) executed by signing the declaration. MPEP 602 (8th ed., Aug. 2001).

Please note that inventor Dirk Manger has moved. The new address, initialed by Mr. Manger, is as follows:

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The fee required for the late filing of an oath or declaration in the amount of \$130.00 is also enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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